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Re: Applicant(s): Yencho, Stephen A.; et. al.
Assignee: Cardica, Inc.
Title: Method and System for Attaching a Graft to a Blood Vessel
Serial No.: 09/924,556
Examiner: Jessica R. Baxter Filed: August 9, 2001
Docket No.: 032405-058 Group Art Unit: 3731

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Request for Continued Examination;
- (3) Response to Office Action;
- (4) Information Disclosure Statement;
- (5) Form PTO-1449 and 5 references;
- (6) Check no. 12227 in the amount of \$395.00; and
- (7) Return postcard.

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				Total:	\$	395.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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